



PATENT

Client-Matter No.: 66661-018  
(P-IS 4373)

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**EXAMINING GROUP**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application ) Confirmation No.: 5002

of:

Biaoyang Lin )

Serial 09/821,812 )  
No.: )

Filed: March 28, 2001 )

For: ANDROGEN REGULATED )  
PROSTATE SPECIFIC NUCLEIC )  
ACIDS )

Group Art Unit: 1642

Examiner: Minh Tam B. Davis

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Responsive to the final Office Action mailed February 24, 2004, entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

The current listing of claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			CLIENT-MATTER NO.: 66661-018 (P-IS 4373)	
SERIAL NO:	FILING DATE:	EXAMINER:	GROUP ART UNIT:	1642
09/821,812	March 28, 2001	Minh Tam B. Davis	CONFIRMATION NO.:	5002
INVENTION: ANDROGEN REGULATED PROSTATE SPECIFIC NUCLEIC ACIDS				

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Transmitted herewith is a Response to Final Office Action in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed (in duplicate).
- ☒ No additional claims fee is required.
- ☐ An additional claims fee is required and has been calculated as shown below:

#### CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	NUMBER AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		RATE			FEE	
				SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY		SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY
TOTAL CLAIMS	3 - 20	= 71	x	\$ 9.00	\$ 18.00	=	\$ 0	\$ 0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3 - 3	= 30	x	\$ 43.00	\$ 86.00	=	\$ 0	\$ 0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO				\$ 145.00	\$ 290.00		\$ 0	\$ 0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE							\$ 0	\$ 0

- \* If the "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- \*\* If the "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
- \*\*\* If the difference between the "NUMBER AFTER AMENDMENT" and the "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" is less than 0, write "0" in the space.

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 502624 the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, \$ of which covers the fee for a \_\_\_\_\_-month extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502624. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 502624 any fees under 37 CFR 1.17 which may be required under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) for an extension of time in any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

May 24, 2004  
Date

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